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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Filed herewith is the Declaration and Power of Attorney and Part 2 of the Notice to File Missing Parts in the above-identified patent application. The filing date of the application is as noted above.

The \$130.00 fee for the separate filing of this Declaration required under 37 CFR §1.16(e) may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 04-1512. If this amount is incorrect, please credit or debit our Deposit Account. Duplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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